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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s):

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For: Method and System for Network Management Capable of Restricting Consumption of Resources Along Endpoint-to-Endpoint Routes Throughout a Network

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Enclosed are also:

- 47 Pages of Specification including an Abstract
 6 Pages of Claims
 12 Sheet(s) of Drawings

 A Declaration and Power of Attorney
 Form PTO 1595 and assignment of the invention to IBM Corporation
 Form PTO 1449 Information Disclosure Statement
 4 Copies of References
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